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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR FORWARDING A TUNNELED PACKET IN A

DATA COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

<u>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT</u>

Sir:

This information disclosure statement is being submitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56. The submission of this information disclosure statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made and is not to be construed as an admission that the information cited in this statement is material to patentability.

The Examiner is hereby notified that for the following related application(s) an Office Action or other PTO correspondence has been received as indicated below:

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similar to one or more claims in the present application, and those claims may have been rejected

in the related application(s). The related application(s) may also have one or more cited

references that are common to the cited reference(s) in the present application, and the common

reference(s) may have been analyzed by the Examiner(s) in the related application(s). Therefore,

the Examiner is encouraged to review the file history(ies) of the related application(s) as some of

the information contained therein may be material to the examination of the present application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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